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Title: COMBINATION PRODUCT COMPRISING AN ANTAGONIST

OR INVERSE AGONIST OF HISTAMINE RECEPTOR H3...

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RESPONSE TO FINAL REJECTION

Sir:

This Reply is being filed in response to the Final Rejection dated April 12, 2010 and following the submission of a Notice of Appeal on October 12, 2010. In conjunction with this Reply, a Request for Continued Examination is also being submitted. Please consider the amendments and responsive remarks provided herewith.

- Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Remarks begin on page 19 of this paper.
- A Declaration of Jean-Charles Schwartz pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.132 is also submitted herewith.
- A Terminal Disclaimer is also submitted herewith.
- Copies of articles by Schwartz et al. (Physiol Rev 71: 1-51 (1991));
 Poyurovsky et al. (Eur Neuropsychopharmacol 14(4): 332 (2004)); and
 Assuncao et al. (28(4): 270 (2006)) are also submitted herewith.